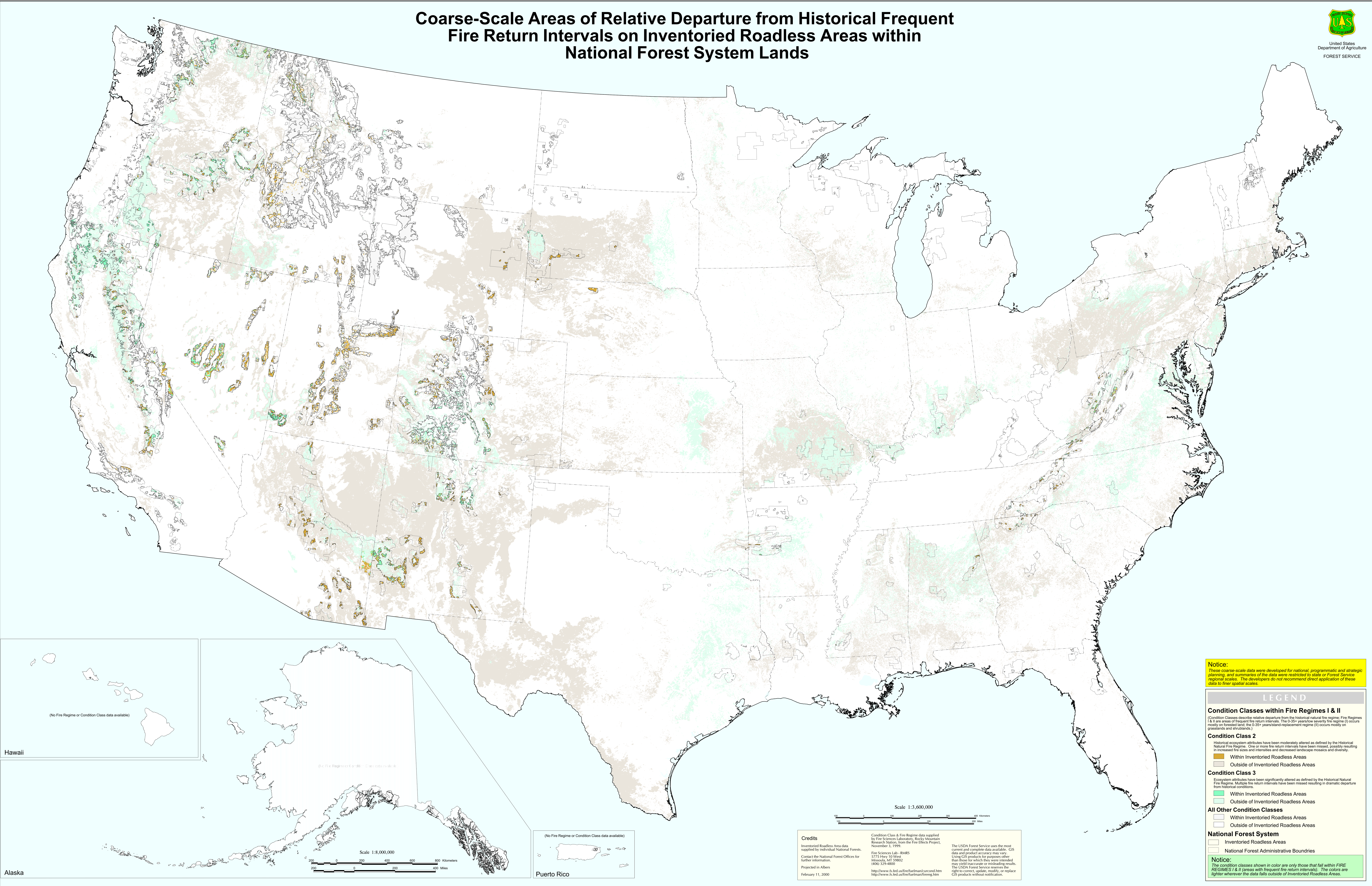


Coarse-Scale Areas of Relative Departure from Historical Frequent
Fire Return Intervals on Inventoried Roadless Areas within
National Forest System Lands



Notice:
These coarse-scale data were developed for national, programmatic and strategic planning, and summaries of the data were restricted to state or Forest Service regional scales. The developers do not recommend direct application of these data to finer spatial scales.

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Condition Classes within Fire Regimes I & II
(Condition Classes describe relative departure from the historical natural fire regime. Fire Regimes I & II are areas of frequent fire return intervals. The 0-35+ years/low severity fire regime (I) occurs mostly on forested land; the 0-35+ years/low severity fire regime (II) occurs mostly on grasslands and shrublands.)

Condition Class 2
Historical ecosystem attributes have been moderately altered as defined by the Historical Natural Fire Regime. One or more fire return intervals have been missed, possibly resulting in increased fire sizes and intensities and decreased landscape mosaic and diversity.

Condition Class 3
Ecosystem attributes have been significantly altered as defined by the Historical Natural Fire Regime. Multiple fire return intervals have been missed resulting in dramatic departure from historical conditions.

All Other Condition Classes

National Forest System

Notice:
The condition classes shown in color are only those that fall within FIRE REGIMES I & II (areas with frequent fire return intervals). The colors are lighter wherever the data falls outside of Inventoried Roadless Areas.